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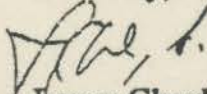
Mr. DeVillars:

As you know there has been a controversy regarding the permitting of the expansion of the North Meadows Landfill. We believe that in choosing this site for expansion in order to satisfy the need for additional landfill space, Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection was remiss in their responsibilities to insure that the host communities do not bear a disproportionate burden of facilities in the area as well as setting the expansion of the discrimination because of our race and color.

We also believe that the Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection has not exhausted the use of it's authority in insuring that the health of the citizens has not been adversely affected by the presence of this facility to date.

As intervenor in the proceedings regarding the expansion of the landfill, we are submitting our complaint to your agency. We request that you investigate these matters to the fullest extent possible and with haste. The recent decision by the Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection to authorize the permit has left our questions unanswered and our concerns still outstanding. We have no other recourse to than seek relief through your agency. We know that the protection of the health and the environment is a fiduciary pledge that you take seriously. We are confident that you will make every effort to ensure that all programs are administrated in a just and fair manner. We look forward to hearing from your office regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

  
Larry Charles, Sr.  
Executive Director

cc: Carol Browner ~  
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